Jan. 21—Merchants' and Farmers' bank of Fairmont, Minn., suspended.
Feb. 2-F. D. Gilman, former president suspended Home bank of Goodland, Ind., found guilty of embezzlement.
4-First National bank of Sootland, S. D., close by bank examiner.
4-F. D. Gilman, Indiana banker, sentenced to term of one to three years in state prison.
25-Disappearance of \$172,000 from subtreasury at Chicago made public.
Mar. 14-Virtual panic in Wall street; Secretary Cortelyou relieved the situation.

Citizens' State bank of Firth, Neb.

19—Citizens' State bank of Firth, Neb., closed by state.
28—Corbin Banking company of New York, assigned; assets, \$2,000,000; liabilities, \$1,700,000.

Apr. 2—Maj. H. W. Salmon of Warsaw, Mo., convicted of lilegal banking, sentenced three years in penitentiary.

11—Bank of Conception, at Clyde, Mo., ordered closed.

12—Ex-Judge Smith of Chicago, found guilty of conspiring to defraud stockholders and depositors of Bank of America, of which he was president, penalty, imprisonment and \$1,000 fine, Jul. 1—Citizens' bank of Eureka Springs, Ark., suspended.

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2-First National bank of Hicksville, O., closed by comptroller of currency.
5-Fort Dallas National bank of Miami, Fia., closed.

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20-Farmers' National bank of Boyer-town, Pa., ordered closed.

Aug. 3-People's State bank of Brownstown, Ind., closed by state authorities.

14-Receivers appointed for Pope Mfg. Co., of Hartford, Com., failure ascribed to stringency of money market.

Sep. 5-Watson & Co., members of New York stock and produce exchanges and of Chicago board of trade, failed.

Oct. 3-Union bank of Richland, and Bowman bank of Kalamazoo, Mich. both private institutions, closed doors.

19-H. D. Reynolds' bank of Vaidez, Alasha. sed doors. National bank of Dresden, O.,

failed.
16—Collapse of Heinze corner in copper caused violent slump in stocks in New York, firm of Otto Heinze & Co., suspended from stock exchange.

9-New York clearing house committee declared that the Helnze, Morse and Thomas interests had been eliminated from banking organizations of New York.

York.
2-Knickerbocker Trust Co., New York;
second largest financial institution, forced to suspend; great slump in securities; call money at 70 per cent.
3-Secretary of trensury ordered deposit of \$5,000,000 of government funds in New York banks... Four Westinghouse companies at Pittsburg and one trust company forced into hands of receivers because of financial stringency... State Bank and Trust Co., of Carson, Nevada, failled.

failed.

-Three minor banks in New York forced to close...Southern Steel Co., of Birmingham, Ala., filed involuntary petition in bankruptcy.

-Six more minor banking institutions in New York closed doors...Union Trust Co., of Providence, R. I., suspended.

Banks in New York and Chicago, and many other cities adopted clearing house loan certificate system to prevent draining of supplies of currency and made withdrawal of savings deposits subject to legal notice. —California Safe Deposit & Trust Co. bank at San Francisco closed. Finan-

closed...United States Steel corporation secured controlling interest in Tennessee Coal & Iron Co.
6-Receiver appointed for Arnold Print
works of North Adams, Mass., one of
largest textile concerns in country.
12-Merchants' National bank of Porttand, Ore., California bank of Oakland,
Cali, and Farmers' & Merchants' bank
of Sapuipa, I. T., suspended.
18-Secretary of Treasury Cortelyou ordered issue of \$50,000,000 of Panama
bonds and \$100,000,000 certificates of indebtedness as means of relieving financial situation...City National bank of
Frederick, Okla., failed.
27-American Silk Cs. capital stock, \$11,90,000, which operated mills in several
cities, placed in hands of receiver.
Dec. 2-Chelsea Savings abnk of Chelses, Mich., owned by State Treasurer
Glazier, closed.
5-National Bank of Commerce, one of
largest financial institutions of Kansas
City, suspended.
6-Fort Pitt National bank of Pittsburg.

Jan. 1—C. E. Hughes inaugurated governor of New York.

2—C. M. Floyd, republican, elected governor of New Hampshire, by legislature.

14—E. W. Hoch inaugurated governor of Kansas.

18—W. P. Frye elected senator from Masina; W. Murray Crane, from Massachusetts; Simon Guggenheim, from Colorado; Norris Brown, from Nebraska; W. E. Borah, from Idaho; R. L. Taylor, from Tennessee; J. M. Dixon, from Montana; H. E. Burnham, from New Hampshire and H. A. Richardson from Delaware.

17—Albert B. Cummins inaugurated governor of lows for third time.

18 House voted to raise salaries of congressmen to \$15,00 a year.

23—Senate authorized investigation of "Brownsville affair"... Balley re-elected senator from Texas... Culiom re-elected senator from Texas... Culiom re-elected senator from Texas... Culiom re-elected senator by Illinois legislature.

23—Chas. Curtis elected senator from Kansas to succeed Jos. R. Burton.

24—House passed pension appropriation bill and abolished all pension agencies. Feb. 5—Congressman W. A. Smith of Michigan, elected to succeed Senator Alger... F. O. Briggs elected successor to Senator Dryden of New Jersey.

15—River and harbor appropriation bill, carrying \$15,000,00, passed by house.

16—Senator Dryden of New Jersey.

18—Fenate passed army apprypriation bill, carrying \$1,000,00.

18—Naval appropriation hill, carrying \$5,000,00, passed by house.

20—Reed Smoot, Mormon apostle, won long fight for seat in United Status senate by vote of \$2 to 28.

Mar. 1—House passed ship subsidy bill after long fight.

25—Renator Spooner of Wisconsin, sent resignation to governor to take effect May I.

4—Fifty-ninth congress adjourned with record for large appropriations... Geo. B. Cortelyou and Geo. Von I. Meyer sworn in as secretary of treasury and posimasier-general, respectively.

5—Ismes R. Garfield took oath of office as secretary of interior... Regis Henri Post selected by president as governor of Porto Rice to succeed Beskman Winthrop.

25—Senator Spooner of senal work on April 1.

27—Wm. C. Gilbert a shoe

May 16-Isaac Stevenson elected senator from Wisconsin to succeed Spooner. Jun. 17-Congressman J. H. Bankhead appointed senator to succeed late John T. Morgan of Alabama. Jul. 9-A. O. Bacon re-elected senator from Georgia for full term. II-Frank A. Leach of California, appointed director of mint to succeed G. E. Roberts, resigned.

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Aug. 7—Ex-Gov. J. F. Johnston elected senator from Alabama to succeed late Senator Pettus.

Sep. 15—Democrats elected ticket headed by Haskell for governor in Okiahoma and Indian Territory, constitution adopted and state-wide prohibition proposition carried....Chicago's new city charter defeated in special election.

Oct. 2—Illinois supreme court declared Chicago's new primary election law unconstitutional.

Nov. 5—Mayor Tom L. Johnson defeated Congressman T. E. Burton for mayor of Cleveland....Kentucky elected Willson, republican, governor....Fusion of republicans and Independence League beaten by Tammany in New York county.

Dec. 2—Congress assembled at Washing-

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-Secretary Taft returned from trip around world. around world.

M. Gude appointed minister to United States from Norway to succeed late H. C. Hauge.



received.

- Negro lynched at Midway, Ala., for attempted assault.

- Relio Steele, being refused loan of \$5.000 by Fourth Street National bank of Philadelphia, threw bomb that killed himself and cashier, injured six others, and wrecked bank.

- James Cullen, murderer of wife and step-son, taken from jull at Charles City, Ia, and hanged by mob.

22—Trial of Harry K. Thaw, for murder of Stanford White, begun in New York, Peb. 23—Thos. Baidwin, rich farmer of Colfax, Ill., shot and killed Chas. Kennedy and wife, and Mrs. Eisman and daughter Cora.

Mar. 19—R. P. Miller of Beaver Dam, Wis., killed wife, step-mother and self. 15—Mob of 50 men at Monroe, La., hanged two negroes accused of robbery.

29—Two colored women accused of murderous attack on white woman killed by mob near Stamp, Ark.

23—Safe blowers robbed Farmers' & Merchants' National bank, of Hanover, Mich., getting \$3,000., Colored man charged with attacking white girl near Colbert, I. T., lynched at Durant.

Apr. S—Death sentence of Mrs. Aggie Myers, of Kansas City, and Frank Hottman, for murder of woman's husband, commuted to life imprisonment.

II—Grand Jury refused to indict Congressman G. K. Favrot, of Louislana, who killed Dr. R. H. Aldrich, and he was set free.

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2-Thaw jury discharged, being unable
to agree on verdict; Thaw remanded
to jail, to await second trial.

8-Dr. O. C. Haugh of Dayton, O., convicted of murder of father, mother and
brother, electrocuted at penitentiary at
Columbus.

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3-Negro and mother lynched and three other persons killed and seven injured in fight in Georgia on account of attempt of negro, who escaped, to assault ilte woman. M—Ex-Judge Hargis acquitted of ekrill murder in famous feud case at

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Jun. 3—Trial of Wm. D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer Western Federation of Miners, for murder of ex-Gov. Steuenberg, begun at Boise, Idaho.
30—Judge Loving found not guilty of murder of Theodore Estes, charged with mistreating former's daughter, at Houston, Vu.
Jul. 20—Jas Hargis, acquitted of charge of complicity in murder of Dr. B. D. Cox of Kentucky....Henry Scutcheon, farmer living near Nuncia, Mich., while insane, murdered wife, son and father-in-law with an ax; then attempted suicide, but was shot dead.
22—Karl Hau, young Washington professor, condemned to death at Karlsruhe, Germany, for murder of motherin-law.
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Aug. 15—Will Clifford, negro, lynched at Maple. Ky., for assaulting and killing two white women.

Sep. 21—Frank J. Constantine sentenced to life imprisonment for murder of Mrs. Gentry, at Chicago.

24—Mrs. Bertha Mund of Buffalo, while insane, strangled her three children.

Oct. 1—Ex-Sheriff H. K. Brown, of Baker City, Ore., killed by bomb.

5—Wm. Burns, colored, who shot policeman at Cumberland, Md., taken from jail by mob, and shot and kicked to death.

13—Ex-Banker Frederick McGill and wife acquitted of charge of murdering first wife of McGill, at Decatur, Ill.

26—Negro at Byron, Ga., lynched for stealing 75 cents.

Nov. 2—Fred Singleton, negro, riddled with cullets by posse for murder of assistant chief of police at Talladega, Ala.

7—Seven bandits held up town of Canova, S. D., blew open bank vault, and escaped with \$5,500.

24—Jury in Steve Adams murder trial at Rathdrum, idaho, failed to agree on verdict and were discharged.

Dec. 3—Mrs. Annie M. Bradley acquitted on charge of murder of ex-Senaor Brown at Washington.

9—At Pittsburg, 30 by explosion in steel furnace.

9—At Barney, N. M., five in train wreck...

At Clinton, Ind., eight in mine explosion... At New York city, five by escaping gas.

19—At Sanford, Ind., 23 by wreck due to powder explosion: 32 injured... At Fowler, Ind., 13 in collision.

23—Near Primero, Colo., 24 in coal mine explosion. explosion.
26-At Lorentz, W. Va., 12 by fire damp explosion in mine.
28-At Chicago, six by explosion at stock-

...At Dossett, Tenn., four by powder mill blast.

At Taylor, Pa., six in mine explosion.

At Pitt, Cal., 22 laborers by drowning.

Near Emporium, Pa., six in powder mill blast...At Woodward, Ala., five in falling turnace.

At Los Angeles, Cal., six in bead.on

The details of July celebrations caused a deaths; injured number 2,163.

In Penobscot Bay, Me., skx by capsizing of a sloop, 11—At Honeybrook, Pa., seven miners by white damp explosion.

II—Near Russell, Pa., slx by capsizing of

iaunch.

15-in Cape Cod Bsy, Mass., ten officers and men on battleship Georgia by gun-powder explosion.

21-Near Salem, Mich., 32 in collision: 100 injured.

22-Off California coast, 97 by sinking of a salem. a steamer. 77-In New York city, 14 in tenement house fire. Aug. 1—At San Pedro, Cal., four by col-lapse of whart. lapse of wharf.

5—At Jamestown, Va., four by drowning.

6—At Keily, Pa., four in wreck.

11—At Boulder, Colo., 109 persons injured
by explosion of 1,000 lbs. of dynamits.

15—At Chicago, five by collapse of building during windstorm.

18—At Seaman, Pa., five by fall of cage in
mine shaft. mine shaft. 23-At Somerville, Mass., five by suf-

focation.

5-Near Sapulpa, I. T., four in collision.

5-Near Quebec 75 workmen by collapse of new bridge being built across St. Lawrence river.

30-Near Charleston, Ill., 17 in collision 6-At Norris, Ia., 12 in wreck. 10-Near Newburg, W. Va., five negroes

grade crossing.
25—In New York city, 13 Italians in tenement house fire.
Dec. 6—At Monongah, W. Va., about 400 miners by explosion in colliery.
35—At Jacobs Creek, Pa., about 300 miners by explosion of gas in colliery.

Jan. 5-Moroecan army captured Zinat, Raisull's stronghold, and he and follow-ers fled to mountains. 6-Chinese trading quarter of Bancock devastated by fire; loss about \$3,000,000. 8-Mugaffar-Ed-Din, shah of Persia, died at Teheran. II—Tidai wave devastated some of Dutch East Indian islands; hundreds of perfollowed by fire partly de

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Il—Sir Eldon Gorst succeeded Lord Cromer as plenipotentiary of Great Britain to Egypt, who resigned...Floods in Turkey caused death of 20.

I2—Honduran city of Amapia surrendered to Nicaraguans; President Bonilla took refuge on American cruiser.

I3—Kingston, Jamaica, experienced another earthquake speck, which did great damage.

I6—At least five important towns in Mexico destroyed and scores killed by earthquake.

May I-Terrific hurricane causes loss of millions of dollars and death of several persons at Campeche.

3—Explosion of gunpowder magazine at Canton, China, causes heavy loss of life and great damage to property.

6—About 6,500 Turkish troops practically annihilated in battle with rebels in Province of Yemen, Turkish Arabia.

9—Heir to throne of Spain born to Queen Victoria, at Madrid.

II—Ninety miners lost lives in fire in copper mine at Velardena, Mexico.

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30—Following assassination of three police officials, serious rioting occurred at Odessa, Russia. Hundreds of people injured by Black Hundred, who ran wild through streets.

Jun. 15—Russian douma dissolved by czar and elections for new parliament ordered...First session of The Hague peace conference held.

37—By burning of native theater in Hong Kong 500 Chinese perished.

Jul. 15—Attempt made to assassinate President Fallieres of France; latter uninjured.

16—Gen. Alikhanoff, ex-governor-general of Tillis, and two others blown to pleces by bomb hurled at carriage in which they were riding, at Alexandropol, Russia.

18—Emperor of Corea decided to abdicate throne.

gers, France, when train plunged into river, -Cassabianca, Morocco, bombarded by

killed.

3-Fire at Iquique, Chili, caused \$1.000.000
loss and rendered 2.000 persons homeless.
Dec. 8-Oscar II., king of Sweden, died at
Stockholm and Crown Prince Gustave
V. succeeded to throne.

Jan. 2-Brig.-Gen. G. A. Bell, retired, at Washington
4-S. H. Jones, leading Illinois republi-can politician, at Springfield.
10—Archbishop Montgomery at San Fran-Cisco. 17—Ex-Congressman John Winans, at Janesville, Wis., aged 75. 34—Senator Russell A. Alger, at Washington. Feb. 1-Charles Marvin, famous race

of new bridge being built across St.
Lawrence river.

30-Near Charleston, Ill., 17 in collision between interurban trains.

Sep. 2-Near Charleston, W. Va., seven in Wreck.

5-At Shelton, Wash., ten in burning hotel.

5-At Norris, Ia., 12 in wreck.

10-Near Newburg, W. Va., five negroes by train.

14-Near Canaan Station, 25 in head-on collision.

15-At Spinwall, Pa., six by drowning.

25-At Negaunee, Mich., Il by falling of cage in mine shaft; seven drowned by wrecking of steamer.

25-Near Jackson, Ala., 14 by capsizing of ferry boat.

25-Near Bellaire, O., eight in railroad wreck; four fatally hurt.

Oct. 5-At Butler, Pa., four by upsetting of molten metal pot; 30 badly injured.

25-In Gioversville, N. Y., six by suffocation.

25-Exposion of powder magazine at Fontanet, Ind., caused death of 38; over 600 injured; nearly every building in town ruined.

25-Near Joilet, Ill., five by capsizing of boat on canal.

24-Near Ashland, Wis., four by explesion in powder mill.

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at Boston... Brig.-Gen. John Moore, former surgeon-general of army, at Washington.

El-Brig.-Gen. T. J. Wint, commander department of Missouri, at Philadelphia.

27—James Henry Smith. of New York, who inherited over \$5,009,000, at Kloto, Japan, while on bridal tour.

28—Wm. A. Proctor, president Proctor & Gambie Co., at Cincinnati, by suicide.

21.—Ex-Congressman Galusha A. Grow, at Glenwood, Pa... H. W. Goode, who was president Lewis & Clarke exposition, at Atlantic City. N. J.

Apr. 1.—Bishop J. C. Granberry, of Methodist Episcopal church South, at Ashland, Va.

14.—Jas. H. Eckels, president Commercial National bank of Chicago, and excomptroller of currency, at Chicago.

19.—Ex-Congressman J. V. Findlay, of Maryland, at Baltimore.

25.—Ex-Congressman G. L. Laws, of Nebraska, at Lincoln.

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28.—Ex-Gov. R. B. Builock, of Georgia, at Albion, N. Y.

May 2.—Peter Maytubby, twice governor Chickashaw Indian tribe, at Caddo, I. T.

4.—E. W. Suffcutt, legal adviser of Gov.

Hugbes of New York, by suicide on Hudson river steamboat.

6.—Dr. John Watson, (Ian Maclaren) noted author, at Mt. Pleusant, Ia.

17.—O. W. Potter, Chicago millionaire, at Chicago.

S—At Lorentz, w. va., 12 by fire damp explosion in mine.

28—At Chicago, six by explosion at stockyards.

29—Near Fayetteville, W. Va., 50 in mine disaster.

30—At Johnson City, Ill., five by powder biast.

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21-Wisconsin university eight won two-mile boat race from Syracuse, at Pough-keepsle. N. Y. Jun. 5-Richard Croker's colt, Orby, ridden by Johnnie Reiff, won Epsom derby in England.
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21—Alex Ross won open golf champion-ship of United States.

25—Cornell won varsity eight-oared race at Poughkeepsle, N. Y., regatta; Syracuse won varsity four-oared race and Wisconsin freshmen, eight-oared contest... Orby won Irish derby.

25—Pale defeated Harvard by boat length in annual race at New London, Conn.

25—Robert Simpson won western open golf championship at Hinsdale, Ill.

26—Julius Evelyn Sears of Boston, won women's singles lawn tonis champion-ship of United States, by defeating Miss Carrie B. Neely.

26—Tommy Burns knocked out Bill Squires, Australian champion, in first round, at Colma, Cai... Martin J. Sheridan won all-around championship of A. A. U. at Celtic Park, L. I.

25—May Sutton of California, regained title of British tennis champion, by defeating Mrs. Chambers.

27—Jack Johnson stopped Bob Fitzsimmons in second round at Philiadelphia.

28—Barney Oldfield broke two world's auto records on half mile track at Fargo, S. D., going first mile of three mile race in 1:15% and three miles in 3:51.

28—Jimmie Britt got verdict over Battling Nelson in 20-round contest at San Francisco.

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Sep. 3—C. M. Daniels of New York, lowered world's 199-yard swimming record,
going distance in 52-3 seconds, at Manchester. England.

—Joe Gans defeated Jimmie Britt in five
rounds, at San Francisco; Britt broke
wrist in fourth round.

20—Fred McLeod of Chicago, won western
professional golfers' championship at
St. Louis.

25—New York Yacht club declined challenge of Sir Thomas Lipton for race for
America's cup next year because it
sought to limit size of racers to 68 feet.

23—Matt McGrath broke world's record
for 16-pound hammer throw at Kanass
City, by hurling weight 165 feet 3 inches;
former record 194 feet.

Oct. 12—Chicago Nationals won world's
basebali championship by defeating Detroit Americans four straight games.
Dec. 2—Tommy Burns, of America,
knocked out Gunner Moir, of England,
in tenth round at London.

11—H. C. Pulliam re-elected president National league for sixth time.

DISASTERS

Jan. 6-Nine buildings wrecked by explosion of dynamite at Lowell, Ariz. 18-Floods in Chio river valley worst in 20 years.

19-Several large steamers driven aground and \$1,500,000 damage done by terrificial and the strong of th

quake. un. 8-Thirty persons killed, many hurt

22—Storm causing property damage estimated at \$500,000 swept over Indian Territory.

24—Three distinct tornadoes struck Medicine Lodge, Kan., destroying 25 houses; several persons injured.

25—Oil fields of northern Indian Territory swept by tornado that killed three men and destroyed hundreds of derricks; loss estimated \$500,000.

Jul. 2-Rochester, Tex., nearly destroyed by tornado.

3-Buena Vista lake levee near Bakersfield, Cal., broke. flooding 30,000 acres and doing \$1,000,000 damage.

4-Storm in western Wisconsin caused death of 21 persons; many injured.

15—Waterspout caused \$500,000 damage in vicinity of Leavenworth, Kan.

Aug. 11—Tornado caused great property damage at La Crosse, Wis.

25—Tornadoes in Wisconsin and Ohio caused several deaths and destroyed much property.

Oct. 8—Tornado near Leeds, Ga., caused 15 deaths; damage to property enormous. Severe storm caused damage damage in property damage. Oct. 8—Tornado near Leeus, Ga., Causeu 15 deaths; damage to property enor-mous... Severe storm caused great dam-age in New York city and in harbor. Nov. 20—Floods caused great damage in southern Texas.

Jan. 1—Judge McCall of federal court of Memphis declared LaFoliette fellow-servants' law unconstitutional.

3—Federal Judge Sanborn sentenced to jall several leaders of striking molders in Milwaukee for violating injunction.

10—Senate passed bill in interest of railway employes... Miners at Goldfield, Nev., voted to end strike.

15—United Mine Workers of America opened annual convention at Indianapolis.

21—Shea labor conspiracy trial at Chicago came to end with jury unable to agree on verdict.

22—John J. Mitchell re-elected president United Mine Workers.

23—Over 6,000 men and women in New York involved in trouser-makers strike, Feb. 13—Western Union Telegraph Co. announced increase of 10 per cent. in wages of operators at principal offices.

21—Cornelius P. Shea and ten associates in teamsters' union acquitted of charge of conspiracy on second trial.

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25—In effort to enforce recognition of union, 2,000 skirt, cloak and suit-makers of Boston, employed in about 100 shops went out on strike.

23—Employes of 23 brewerles in St. Louis struck for increased wages.

Apr. 4—Threatened strike of trainmen of western railroads averted through mediation of interstate commerce commissioners.

23—Great lockout and labor struggle in Goldfield, Nev., district, ended by agreement.

23—Sait Lake City street car lines tied up by strike.

May 1—May day brought strike of iron workers in San Francisco, teamsters in Los Angeles, machinists in Pittsburg and various labor organizations in Canada.

3—Practically all of operators of Pacific States Telegraph and Telephone Co., struck for increased wages.

5—Street car employes of San Francisco struck for eight-hour day and increase in wages.

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Jun. 20—Strike of Western Union telegraph operators at San Francisco and Oakland. Cal., ordered; increase in wages demanded.

S—Vest-makers in New York, numbering 4,000, struck.

Aug. 7—Western Union operators at Los Angeles struck because company refused to reinstate discharged man.

S—Night operators at Chicago went out on strike.

B—Strike of Western Union telegraph operators spread throughout west and south... Cornelius P. Shea det at in election for president of teamsters' union by Daniel J. Tobin.

12—Strike of telegraph operators spread throughout east, news service of Associated Press partially suspended.

13—Employes of Colorado & Southern railroad won strike for increase in wages.

15—Fresident Small of telegraphers' union issued general strike order calling out all commercial operators nat working under union contracts.

Sep. 2—Labor day riots occurred is San Francisco, Louisville and Steuberlyille, Ohio.

Oct. 4—Cotton shipping business of New Orleans tied up by strike of 8,000 cotton handlers.

10—John Mitchell, president United Mine Workers, announced he would not be a candidate for re-election on account of 111 health.

12—Telegraph operators in principal cities of country rejected suggestion of President Small that strik, against Western Union and Postal companies be declared off.

Striking cotten handlers at New Or-leans agreed to resume work pending arbitration.

-S. J. Small, deposed president of teleg-raphers' union, issued statement "call-ing off" telegraph strike.

60v. 4.—Because they were paid in checks, 4.000 miners near Danville, Ill., struck.— Commercial Telegraphers' union in Chicago, New York and other cities called off strike....Threatened general railway strike in Great Britain averted by agreement between railways and union. union.

Striking street car men in Louisville,
Ky., indulged in serious riot.

lec. 6-Five companies of regulars ordered to Goldfield, Nev., where trouble
between miners and mine owners existed

FIRES

Jan. 3—Big furniture store at New York city; loss \$500,000.

8—Plant of Michigan Stove works at Detroit gutted; loss \$550,000; one person killed, several injured.

11—Burning of tobacco warehouse at Lancaster, Pa., caused loss \$1,000,000.

30—Plant of Phelps Pub. Co., at Springfield, Mass.; loss nearly \$1,000,000., Garage in New York containing 109 automobiles.

23—Section of Baldwin Locomotive works at Philadelphia; loss \$1,000,000.

30—Mine mill at Victor, Colo.; loss \$500,000. Feb. 5—Business portion of Coal Harbor, N. D.

3.—Lyndhurst, country home of John Wanamaker, at Philadelphia, completely destroyed; loss about \$1,500,000.

25.—Plant of Acker Porcess Co., at Niagra Fails, N. Y.; loss \$500,000.

30—Mine mill at Victor, Colo.; loss \$500,000.

32.—Porting goods to loss about \$1,500,000.

33.—Sporting goods store of A. G. Spaiding Bros., at Chicago.

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35.—Orton Sait block, at Hutchinson, Kans.; loss \$500,000.

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36.—Down of Holo, Island of Panay, second city of Philippines, totally destroyed; 20,000 persons homeless.

36.—Over 100 cottages at Pleasant Lake, Mass.

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18—Steamer City of Cleveland, at Detroit, entirely destroyed; loss \$700,000.

Jun. 6—Half of business section of Willow City, N. D., destroyed.

10—Famous Princess Anne hotel at Virginia Beach, Va.

21—Large section of Bizbee, Ariz.

Jul. 27—Over seven blocks of Coney Island's amusement section destroyed; loss \$1,000,000.

28—Building of Memphis Cold Storage Co., at Memphis; loss \$900,000.

Aug. 1—Over 50 families made homeless by fire at Edgewater, N. J.

2—Plant of the U. S. Leather Co., at Tomahawk, Wis., destroyed; loss-about \$200,000.

Between 75 and 100 square miles of territory devastated by disastrous biaze in foothills near Visalia, Cal.

28—Large part of business section of Princess Anne, Md.

35—Several summer hotels, summer cottages and buildings at Old Orchard, Me.; loss estimated \$50,000.

29—Courier Journal building at Louisville, Ky.

Sep. 5. Three business squares and porting a francisco, destroyed.

Oct. 4—Thousands of acres of forest land in Sonoma, Cal.

25—Lowa Central railway shops at Marshalltown, Ia., loss \$300,000.

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15—Federal grand jury at Chicago indicted John R. Walsh in connection with failure of Chicago National bank.

23—Judge Haliam, at St. Paul, issued order enjoining J. J. Hill and other officials of Great Northern railway from making proposed increase of \$50,000,000 in stock.

Feb. 18—Wisconsin state railway commission ordered railroads of state to give flat 24-cent passenger fare.

26—John F. Stevens resigned as chief engineer of Panama canal and president named Maj. G. W. Goethals as chairman of commission and engineering chief of work.

Mar. 1—Suit filed at Boston against Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, leader of Christian Science faith, by G. W. Glover, her son, asking accounting of property and appointment of receiver.

Mar. 4—New Mexico house passed resolution to investigate conduct of Gov. Hagerman in regard to alleged timber land frauds.

7—Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, pleaded not guilty to charge of extortion.

29—Abraham Ruef indicted for bribery at San Francisco; T. V. Halley also indicted in connection with grant of telephone franchise.

Apr. 2—J. J. Hill resigned as president of Great Northern railroad and son, T. W. Hill, elected to place.

Apr. 5—John R. Walsh indicted on charges of misapplication of funds of Chicago National bank, at Chicago.

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25—Jamestown Ter-Centennial exposition opened; President Roosevelt and other high officials attended ceremonies.

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30 Jun. 13—Mayor Schmitz of San Francisco, found guilty of extortion.

31 Jul. 35—Schmitz sentenced to five years in penitentiary for extortion.

36—Dr. E. R. Taylor, of University of California, elected mayor of San Francisco, by board of supervisors.

Aug. 3—Judge Landis, at Chicago, fined Standard Oii Co., \$23,240,000, for accepting illegal rebates from Alton railroad; fine largest in history of jurisprudence.

Aug. 7—Senator Beveridge of Indiana, married to Miss Catherine Eddy in American embassy at Berlin.

21—Suit in equity brought by relatives for accounting of property of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, brought to sudden close at Boston.

36 Sept. 4—Louis Glass, vice-president of Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Co., convicted of bribery at San Francisco and sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

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Oct. 2-Senator Wm. E. Borah acquitted of charge of conspiracy to defraud government, at Boise, Idaho.

11-The Lusitania broke nearly all ocean records, making trip to New York in four days, 30 hours.

23-German balloon Pommern, piloted by Herr Erbslob, won international aeronautic cup, landing at Asbury Park, N. S., 890 miles from starting point at St. Louiss.

Nov. 1-Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Raitroad Co., fined \$250,000 at Los Ansoles, for rebailing.

12-Trial of John R. Walsh for misapplication of funds of Chicago National bank, begun at Ghicago.

23-Edward Payson Weston, aged 69, completes walk from Portland, Mo., to Chicago, jaant taging 33 days.

24-Wedding of Miss Edith Root, daugh, ter of secretary of state, and U. & Grant III., occurred at Washington.

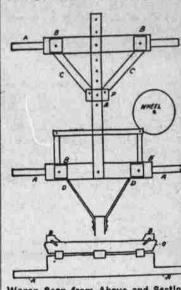
Dec. 16-Pacine flost salled from Hampton Roads after review by president.



WAGON FOR HAULING LOGS.

Directions for its Construction by the Farmer Himself.

Take some pieces of two by four and with a draw knife cut, out the axles. The lower part of back axle is one solid piece of wood. In it are cut notches for the hounds at either side and a notch in the center for the reach. Over this is placed another timber with notches cut to cor-respond with those of lower piece. The side notches in both upper and lower pieces are cut slanting, so that



Wagon Seen from Above and Section Showing Back Gear.

the hounds will point toward the center and meet at the reach. On the axles, "a, a," can be put pieces of gas pipe for the sake of greater strength. The plate "p" is made of iron and bolted to the hounds, so that the reach will slide easily. There is also a hole to let a pin in to hold the reach. When these pieces are put together the back gear is complete with the exception of the snatch blocks, "b, b," which are bolted on the top to hold the logs in place. These blocks are fastened on by means of a flat piece of iron bolted

at either side. The front gear is made like the back with the exception of the turntable, the sides of which are made of wood and the cross pieces of iron. The sides of the turntable are placed in the notches where the hounds were in the back gear, and the notches are made straight instead of slanting.

The tongue is fastened on by two fron rods flat where they fasten on to the tongue. The other ends of the rods form hooks which fasten into two bolts, "d. d." having rings on one

The wheels says Mail and Breeze are made of flat pieces sawed off the ends of logs, through the center of which a hole is bored. When using the wagon the snatch blocks may be turned so that the logs can be rolled

HOMEMADE SMOKE HOUSE.

Can Be Constructed Out of a Couple of Empty Barrels.

When one has only a few pieces of taking two empty barrels and ar-U

ranging them as illustrated. In the a kettle of smoldering chips or corn cobs. An opening is cut in

lower barrel to allow the attendant to add fresh fuel when necessary. The upper barrel has either hooks in its bottom or sides, the bottom of the barrel being now uppermost, or rods passing through the sides on which to

Growing in Favor in Sections Where Grasses Will Not Grow Well.

parts of the country where the people find it difficult to grow the usual hay grasses. Thus, in California and the other states on the Pacific coast, barley hay and wheat hay are popular. These are grown thick for the purpose of giving a fine stem and are cut before the grain is hard.

It is estimated that in the United States each year grain hay is produced on about 4,000,000 acres land. The census figures give a little less than this, but the census is seven years old. The yield of grain hay averages about 1.3 tons to the acre. In the south the grain hay consists mostly of oats, with some cow peas raised for the double purpose of making hay and improving the

Be judicious with your praise. In any bed of roses one must beware

Manure for wheat should be kept near the surface. All root crops keep best when covred with damp sand.

On thin clay lands rye will in most cases prove a preferable crop to wheat, especially if it can be used as a pasture for live stock. Don't go to the institute to talk on

co-operation in farming when your own wood pile is exhausted. Consistency must begin at home. One good ration for pigs consists

of corn, one part; barley, one part, and wheat shorts, one part. It is doubtful if skim milk can be more profitably used than in feeding

The pigs should have dry pens and dry feed lots.

Fall pigs must have summer condi-